

## Press Release

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On 06/24/2010 at about 0600 hrs., the Lake County Sheriff's Office Dive Team was activated to assist authorities with a drowning in Ashtabula County. In correlation with other dive rescue teams from Lake, Cuyahoga, and Ashtabula counties, a search was conducted in the Ashtabula Harbor. Officials were looking for a 30 year old Ashtabula man that had gone into the water off a boat at about 0200 hrs. that morning. The male victim went into the water to assist another friend who was struggling to swim. It was reported that the 30 year old man jumped into the water, but never resurfaced.

Under water search patterns along with advanced sonar were used to locate the victim. The victim was found at 1256 hrs. The victim was located in about 30 feet of water. The victim was recovered by Lake County Sheriff's Office Divers Randy Scott and Jeff Urban. The victim was brought aboard an ODNR vessel and transported to shore.

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